

[Letter from Woody Guthrie to Alan Lomax, ca. December 1941]

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Alan, Take It Easy, Lomax,

The feller that made the records of the Bonneville Dam songs is Phil Kahn, Information Depratment, Bonneville Administration, No it's Bonneville Power Administration, Portland, Oregon.

His assistant was Gunther V. Fritch, Cameraman and Documentary film shooter in season.

Now, well as I recollect, both Gunther V., and Phil had lots of other assistants assisting everybody and their sisters to the assistance of what most sisters need assisting on, and it run like that for a little while, and then petered out.

Why in the hell dont you send us some of them blank disc records like you was talking about? Uncle Sam aint run out of aluminum, has he?

Almanac Singers are really doing good work. Two of them sober this morning.

Hold the phone up,

Woody Guthrie as per Woody Guthrie for Woody Guthrie and by god by Woody Guthrie
Woody Guthrie